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SPASM WITH BOTULINUM TOXIN TYPE B

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicants provide with regard to the above-identified patent application entitled methods for treating essential tremor with botulinum toxin type B, one copy of documents of which they are aware, which may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56. A listing of the documents submitted is set forth on the attached 1 page Information Disclosure Citation (Form PTO-1449).

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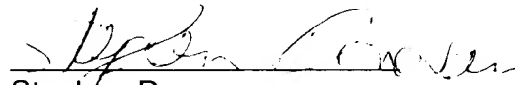
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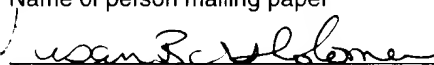
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